# INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACTORS

#### PLEASE GIVE THESE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS TO YOUR INSURANCE AGENT

Huntington Beach City Council Resolution No. 2007-3 requires submittal of certificates of insurance evidencing the following minimum limits with a California admitted carrier with a current A.M. Best's Rating of no less than A:VII:

### Minimum Limits of Insurance

Errors and Omissions (Professional) liability: Minimum of \$1,000,000 per occurrence and in the aggregate.

## Claims made policies are acceptable if the policy further provides that:

- 1. The policy retroactive date coincides with or precedes the professional services contractor's start of work (including subsequent policies purchased as renewals or replacements).
- 2. The professional services contractor will make every effort to maintain similar insurance during the required extended period of coverage following project completion, including the requirement of adding all additional insureds.
- 3. If insurance is terminated for any reason, professional services contractor agrees to purchase an extended reporting provision of at least two (2) years to report claims arising from work performed in connection with this agreement or permit.
- 4. The reporting of circumstances or incidents that might give rise to future claims.

## <u>Deductibles, Self-Insured Retentions, or Similar Forms of Coverage Limitations or Modifications</u>

Any deductibles, self-insured retentions or similar forms of coverage limitations or modifications, must be approved by the Risk Manager and City Attorney of the City of Huntington Beach. NOTE: Waivers and / or modifications are discouraged and will be considered only under extraordinary circumstances.

#### Description of Work to be Performed

The staff contact and purpose of the evidence of coverage must be identified.